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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Small Entity)**

Docket No.  
101195-38

#8

In Re Application Of: Bernd Dorken

Serial No.  
09/743,395

Filing Date  
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Examiner  
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Invention: **Method for Improving the Gene Transfer of Genetic Material in Mammalian Cells Through the Use of P21 (WAF-I)**

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TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of May 21, 2001 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month    ☐ Two months    ☒ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: Aug. 21, 2001    until: Nov. 21, 2001  
*Date*    *Date*

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

- ☐ is enclosed.  
☐ has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the extension of time is **\$460** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-1263  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.  
☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 14-1263    A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Dated: **Nov. 21, 2001**

*Signature*

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on **Nov. 21, 2001** with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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